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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re spolication of:

Customer No. 30827

Application No. 09/730,836

Confirmation No. 8708

Filed: December 7, 2000

Art Unit: 2871

For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY AND

FABRICATING METHOD COMPRISING A HYDROPHILIC BUFFER LAYER HAVING A

THICKNESS OF 10A to 50A

Examiner: Thoi V. Duong

PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2)

Dear Sir:

Petitioner hereby petitions the Commissioner to withdraw the above-identified application from issue. The Issue Fee in this application was timely paid on June 9, 2006.

Petitioner respectfully petitions that the above-identified application be withdrawn from issue in order to permit consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (Request for Continued Examination with an Information Disclosure Statement) a copy of which is enclosed.

Our check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0911.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 5, 2006

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